

Amendments to the Claims

Please amend Claims 49-51 and 61. The Claim Listing below will replace all prior versions of the claims in the application:

Claim Listing

1-44. (Canceled)

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~~45.~~ (Previously presented) A monoclonal antibody produced by a hybridoma cell line deposited under A.T.C.C. Accession Number PTA-814.

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~~46.~~ (Previously presented) A monoclonal antibody produced by a hybridoma cell line deposited under A.T.C.C. Accession Number PTA-813.

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~~47.~~ (Previously presented) A monoclonal antibody produced by a hybridoma cell line deposited under A.T.C.C. Accession number PTA-815.

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~~48.~~ (Previously presented) A monoclonal antibody produced by a hybridoma cell line deposited under A.T.C.C. Accession Number PTA-812.

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~~49.~~ (Currently amended) A monoclonal antibody or antigen binding fragment thereof having the same binding epitopic specificity as a monoclonal antibody produced by a hybridoma deposited under A.T.T.C. Accession Number PTA-814, wherein the monoclonal antibody or antigen binding fragment thereof has binding epitopic specificity for ouabain and for the ouabain component of a ouabain-carrier complex.

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~~50.~~ (Currently amended) A monoclonal antibody or antigen binding fragment thereof having the same binding epitopic specificity as a monoclonal antibody produced by a hybridoma deposited under A.T.C.C. Accession Number PTA-813, wherein the monoclonal

antibody or antigen binding fragment thereof has binding epitopic specificity for ouabain and for the ouabain component of a ouabain-carrier complex.

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~~51.~~

(Currently amended) A monoclonal antibody or antigen binding fragment thereof having the same binding epitopic specificity as a monoclonal antibody produced by a hybridoma deposited under A.T.C.C. Accession Number PTA-815, wherein the monoclonal antibody or antigen binding fragment thereof has binding epitopic specificity for ouabain and for the ouabain component of a ouabain-carrier complex.

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~~52.~~

(Previously presented) A hybridoma cell line deposited under A.T.C.C. Accession Number PTA-814.

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(Previously presented) A hybridoma cell line deposited under A.T.C.C. Accession Number PTA-813.

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(Previously presented) A hybridoma cell line deposited under A.T.C.C. Accession Number PTA-815.

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~~55.~~

(Previously presented) A hybridoma cell line deposited under A.T.C.C. Accession Number PTA-812.

56-60. (Canceled).

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(Currently amended) A monoclonal antibody or antigen binding fragment thereof having the same binding epitopic specificity as a monoclonal antibody produced by a hybridoma deposited under A.T.T.C. Accession Number PTA-812.